



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
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EXAMINING GROUP 2852

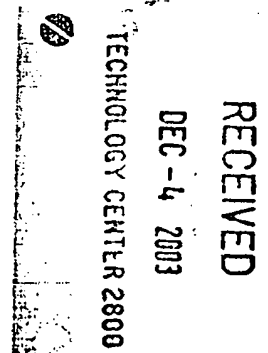
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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
NORIIHIKO KUBO)	Examiner: W. Royer
Application No.: 10/068,842)	Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: February 11, 2002)	
For: CLEANING APPARATUS)	December 1, 2003
INCLUDING A TONER BREAKING)	
MEMBER AND IMAGE FORMING)	
APPARATUS USING SAME)	

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 29, 2003, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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